THORN LAKE FIELD 09-631 and 09-632

LEGAL NOTICE

STATE OF LOUISIANA, OFFICE OF CONSERVATION, BATON ROUGE, LOUISIANA.

In accordance with the laws of the State of Louisiana, and with particular reference to the provisions of Title 30 of Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, a public hearing will be held in the Hearing Room, 1st Floor, LaSalle Building, 617 North 3rd Street, Baton Rouge, Louisiana, at 9:00 a.m. on **TUESDAY**, **JUNE 9, 2009**, upon the application of **QUESTAR EXPLORATION AND PRODUCTION COMPANY**.

At such hearing the Commissioner of Conservation will consider evidence relative to the issuance of Orders pertaining to the following matters relating to the **Haynesville Zone**, **Reservoir A**, and the Cotton Valley **Formation**, **Reservoir A**, in the Thorn Lake Field, Red River Parish, Louisiana.

- 1. To create two (2) additional drilling and production units for the exploration for and production of gas and condensate from the Haynesville Zone, Reservoir A.
- 2. To create five (5) additional drilling and production units for the exploration for and production of gas and condensate from the Cotton Valley Formation, Reservoir A.
- 3. To force pool and integrate all separately owned tracts, mineral leases and other property interests within the proposed units, with each tract sharing in unit production on a surface acreage basis of participation.
- 4. To provide that with respect to future horizontal wells drilled within the proposed Haynesville units, where the horizontal portion of the well is cased and cemented back above the top of the Haynesville Zone, Reservoir A, the distance to any unit boundary and between wells will be calculated based on the distance to the nearest perforation in the well and not based on the penetration point or terminus.
- 5. To designate a unit operator and unit wells for the proposed units, if appropriate.
- 6. Except to the extent contrary herewith, to extend the provisions of Office of Conservation Order No. 1145-B, effective July 15, 2008, as amended and supplemented by the 1145-B Series of Orders, to the proposed Haynesville units.
- 7. Except to the extent contrary herewith, to extend the provisions of Office of Conservation Order No. 1145, effective July 31, 1981, as amended and supplemented by the 1145 Series of Orders, to the proposed Cotton Valley units.
- 8. To consider such other matters as may be pertinent.

The Haynesville Zone, Reservoir A is defined in Order No. 1145-B, effective July 15, 2008.

The Cotton Valley Formation, Reservoir A is fully defined in Order No. 1145, effective July 31, 1981.

Plats are available for inspection in the Office of Conservation in **Baton Rouge** and **Shreveport**, Louisiana.

www.dnr.state.la.us/CONS/CONSEREN/hearings/pubhearings.htm.

All parties having interest therein shall take notice thereof.

BY ORDER OF:

JAMES H. WELSH COMMISSIONER OF CONSERVATION

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IF ACCOMMODATIONS ARE REQUIRED UNDER AMERICANS WITH DISABILITIES ACT, PLEASE ADVISE THE OFFICE OF CONSERVATION-ENGINEERING DIVISION AT P.O. BOX 94275, BATON ROUGE, LA 70804-9275 IN WRITING WITHIN TEN (10) WORKING DAYS OF THE HEARING DATE.